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SUBJ: NOMINATION OF CHIEF, GENMISH

- 1. DEPT OF ARMY HAS NOMINATED COL. JOHN O. BATISTE AS CHIEF, GENMISH REPLACING COL. WARREN BOVEE WHO IS SCHEDULED TO RETURN TO US IN JUNE 1974.
- 2. COL. BATISTE IS A FOREIGN AREA SPECIALIST WITH TRAINING IN MIDDLE EASTERN AFFAIRS, HE HAS BA IN INTERNATIONAL LAW AND POLITICAL SCIENCE FROM UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN. HE HAS SERVED AS DIA ANALYST, BATTALION COMMANDER AT FORT KNOX, G-3 ADVISOR IN I CORPS ADVISORY GROUP MAC VIET NAM, COMMANDER OF 2D BRIGADE OF 7TH INFANTRY DIVISION AND CURRENTLY IS DIRECTOR, MEAFSA STUDIES AT US ARMY WAR COLLEGE.
- 3. EMBASSY IS REQUESTED TO OBTAIN GOI CONCURRENCE IN ASSIGNMENT OF COL. BATISTE AS CHIEF GENMISH. KISSINGER

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